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IT CRAWLS
BY NIGHT

OUT OF THE GRAVE WHERE
MURDER SLEPT!

THEY PLANTED HATE
AND REAPED TERROR

THE
DEVIL'S
SEEDS



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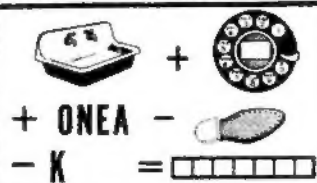
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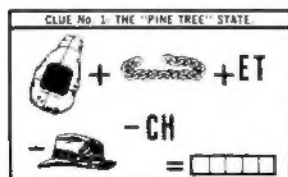
HOW TO SOLVE SAMPLE PUZZLE

CLUE No. 1: THE "HOOSIER" STATE.



You will see there are a SINK, a DIAL, the SOLE of a shoe and various letters of the alphabet. There are two plus and two minus signs. It is necessary to add and subtract the names and letters as shown by the plus and minus signs. First, write down SINK. Then, add DIAL to it. Next, add ONEA. All this equals SINKDIALONEA. Now, you must subtract the letters in SOLE and K. When this is done you are left with INDIANA. Indiana is the Hoosier State, so the result checks with Clue No. 1.

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THERE'S A FIRST TIME FOR EVERYTHING, THEY SAY. AND I WAS WAITING THERE IN THE SHADOWS OF EVENING THAT WERE SWIFTLY GATHERING WITHIN MY CREAKY OLD FARMHOUSE--FOR MY FIRST TIME! THE DAYLIGHT WAS GONE AND WITH IT MY HAPPY MEMORIES. NOW, THERE WAS ONLY DEATH. MY SWEAT HAD TURNED COLD, MY FINGERS TREMBLED LIKE A NERVOUS SCHOOLBOY'S, THE STAMP OF THE FIRST-TIME KILLER WAS THERE IN MY HAGGARD FACE...

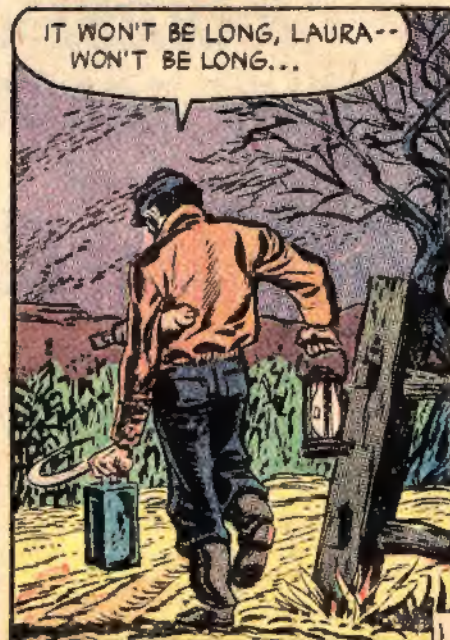
The DEVIL SEEDS



"I WAS GATHERING THE WEAPONS WITH WHICH TO COMMIT MY MURDER..."

"IT WAS LAURA, MY WIFE, I SPOKE TO LAST--JUST AS I USED TO WHEN I'D LEAVE FOR THE FIELDS..."

"THE NIGHT WAS COOL, AND MY SWEAT HAD TURNED CLAMMY!"



"ABOVE THE
SIGHING
WIND, I COULD
HEAR ONLY
THE SOUND
OF MY
FOOTFALLS
STRIKING THE
SOFT EARTH,
AS I
HEADED
OUT FOR
UPPER
PORTY..."

"AS I PLODDED ON, OVER PASTURE WALLS, THROUGH
FIELDS OF RUSTLING CORNSTALKS, THOUGHTS WERE
TUMBLING ABOUT IN MY HEAD..."

IF LAURA HAD ONLY LISTENED TO ME,
THIS NEVER WOULD HAVE BEEN. THOSE
TWO MEN--THEY STARTED IT ALL...

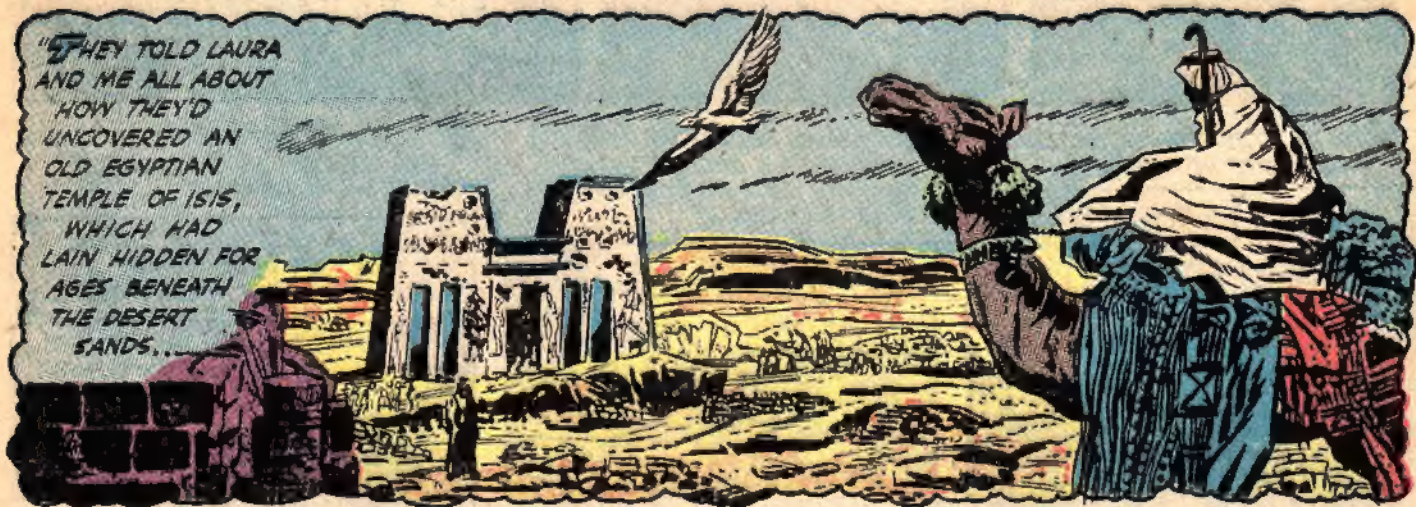


"I COULD FEEL MY FACE TIGHTEN AT
THE THOUGHT OF THEM..."

EGYPTOLOGISTS! AND THE FANCY
TALES THEY TOLD US... IF ONLY
I'D TURNED A
DEAF EAR
TO 'EM...



"THEY TOLD LAURA
AND ME ALL ABOUT
HOW THEY'D
UNCOVERED AN
OLD EGYPTIAN
TEMPLE OF ISIS,
WHICH HAD
LAIN HIDDEN FOR
AGES BENEATH
THE DESERT
SANDS..."



"ON ONE OF THE BURIAL CHAMBERS,
JAMES FLETCHER, AN ARCHEOLOGIST,
HAD FOUND A STRANGE LOOKING URN..."

"INSIDE THE URN THEY FOUND SEEDS
--SIMPLE, EVERYDAY, ORDINARY SEEDS..."

"THEY TOLD US OF THE NATIVE WHO
SHOUTED AT THEM BEFORE THEY LEFT..."

I SAY, DAN--LOOKS RATHER LIKE
AN IMPORTANT ARTIFACT. THE
TOP'S SEALED, AND THE INSCRIPTION
SAYS SOMETHING ABOUT
THE SEEDS OF LIFE...



OVER THREE THOUSAND YEARS OLD,
DAN--IS IT POSSIBLE THEY COULD
STILL BE GERMINATED?

LOCKED AS THEY WERE IN
A VACUUM TIGHT URN, JIM--
IT'S DEFINITELY POSSIBLE.
WHAT A FIND!



TAKE THE SEEDS OF LIFE FROM
THIS HOLY PLACE AND WHO-
EVER TOUCHES THEM SHALL
DIE--ALL OF YOU SHALL
DIE!



"THEY EVEN RELATED THEIR CONVER-
SATION ON BOARD THE STEAMSHIP
COMING BACK HOME..."

YOU
SUPPOSE THAT
NATIVE WAS
RIGHT?

FOR SHAME, DOCTOR FLETCHER--THE
GREATEST FIND IN ARCHEOLOGICAL
HISTORY AND YOU'RE GOING TO BE-
LIEVE SOME NATIVE'S SILLY SUPER-
STITIONS? COME, COME...



THIS TIME THE PASTURE, I
THOUGHT I COULD HEAR IT
WHIMPERING HUNGRILY--
JUST AHEAD...

NO, IT CAN'T! I'VE GOTTA
GIT IT-- JUST GOTTA! IF--
IF ONLY I HADN'T
LISTENED TO 'EM...

I WAS THINKING ABOUT THE DAY DOCTORS
FLETCHER AND JOHNSON FIRST CAME...

S'POSE IT GRABS
ME BEFORE I KIN
KILL IT!

BUT WHY D'YOU
PICK MY LAND FOR
THE EXPERIMENT?
PLENTY OTHER
FARMS ABOUT!

THE SOIL AND CONDITIONS
HERE IN GENERAL ARE THE
SAME AS THE AREA FROM
WHICH WE TOOK THE
SEEDS, MISTER CAMERON!
BESIDES, THE INSTITUTE IS
PREPARED TO PAY WELL,
AND...

I TRIED TO REFUSE 'EM, BUT LAURA
HAD TO BUTT IN, TOO...

NATURALLY, ONCE LAURA ASKS FOR
SOMETHING, I JUST CAN'T RE-
FUSE HER, SO I WATCHED 'EM PRE-
PARE THE LAND...

TWO MONTHS HAD PASSED, I COULDN'T
SHAKE OFF THE FEELING I'D DONE
SOMETHING WRONG...

NAW! AIN'T
INTERESTED
GENTS--I...

BUT, SAM--THE EXTRA
MONEY, I THINK! IT'LL
BUY THAT NEW BARN
AND SILO YOU'VE BEEN
WANTIN'; MEBBE A
NEW STOVE FOR ME...

SCIENCE--FAHHH! DON'T
EVEN KNOW HOW TA PLOW
A FIELD RIGHT...

SOMETHING MYSTERIOUS, LAURA--
THE WAY THEY WATCH THAT
AREA...EVERY DAY, EVERY MINUTE...

IT'S THEIR JOB, SAM! IT'LL BE
OVER SOON, AND YOU'LL HAVE
THAT BARN AND SILO!

THEN, ONE DAY
REAL EXCITEMENT
BROKE OUT...

I SAY, DAN--THE BLASTED
THINGS ARE GROWING--
LOOK AT THEM!

THREE THOUSAND
YEARS OLD AND STILL
SOMETHING ALIVE
THERE...MIGHTY
STRANGE, FLETCHER!

"I COULD FEEL MY HEART HAMMERING HARD AGAINST MY RIBS NOW, AS I WANTED TO GET CLOSER..."



"ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THE WALL, I THREW MYSELF FLAT, LAY THERE PANTING AGAINST THE EARTH; I COULD SEE THEIR OUTLINES IN THE MOONLIGHT..."



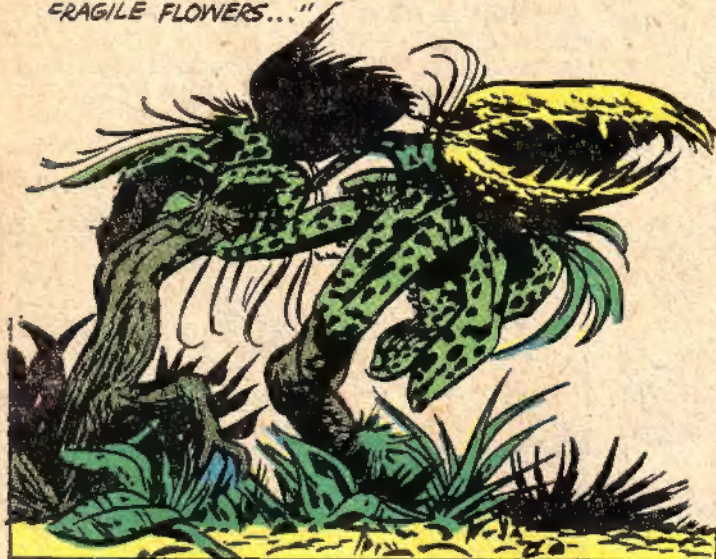
"AND AS I HUGGED THE GROUND, I WAS REMEMBERING THE AMAZEMENT OF THOSE SCIENTISTS WHEN THEY'D SEEN THE GROWTHS..."

DO YOU SUPPOSE THE FACT THAT THESE SEEDS HAD RELIGIOUS SIGNIFICANCE HAS ANYTHING TO DO WITH THIS, DOCTOR HARDING?

DOUBTFUL, PROFESSOR. YET THE IMPLICATIONS ARE FASCINATING TO THINK ABOUT! BEAUTIFUL LOOKING THING, ISN'T IT?



"YES, IT WAS A BEAUTIFUL LOOKING THING WHEN YOU SAW IT FOR THE FIRST TIME; BUT AFTER THAT THERE WAS SOMETHING INSIDIOUS IN THE SHARP-POINTED LEAVES, THE MASS OF RUNNERS AND EVEN THE FRAGILE FLOWERS..."



"IF ONLY LAURA HAD TOLD ME WHAT SHE'D DONE, I'D HAVE STOPPED HER THEN AND THERE..."

HMPH! THEY'LL NEVER MISS ONE TINY FLOWER...



"WHEN I CAME HOME FOR LUNCH ONE DAY, LAURA WAS CALLING ME..."

SAM QUICK, OVER HERE! LOOK AT THE STRANGE THING THIS PLANT DOES...



"A LITTLE HUMMINGBIRD HAD BEEN TRYING TO FEED FROM THE FLOWER TRUMPET, WHEN SUDDENLY..."

WHY, THE DANGED THING'S EATIN' THE TINY CRITTER, LAURA!



"ONE MORNING, SEVERAL DAYS LATER, I WAS LOOKING FOR HUNTER, MY DOG..."

DANGED MUTT! HOPE HE DIDN'T GET HIMSELF DROWNED IN THE BROOK! **HUNTER!** **HUNTER!** HERE BOY, HERE BOY...



"I'D NOTICED THE TRAMPLED DOWN SPOT IN LAURA'S GARDEN PATCH; AND NOW AS I LOOKED CLOSER..."

IT'S BEEN ET! THIS PLANT... ET IT LIKE IT ET THE BIRD...



"I GOT A MACHETE FROM THE BARN, AND WHEN I RETURNED--ONLY ONE THING WAS ON MY MIND..."

IT'S OF THE DEVIL! I'LL SLASH IT TO THE GROUND...



SAM NO! HAVE YOU GONE MAD? WHAT'S WRONG!

LOOK OUT, LAURA--YOU'LL GET HURT, I'M GONNA...



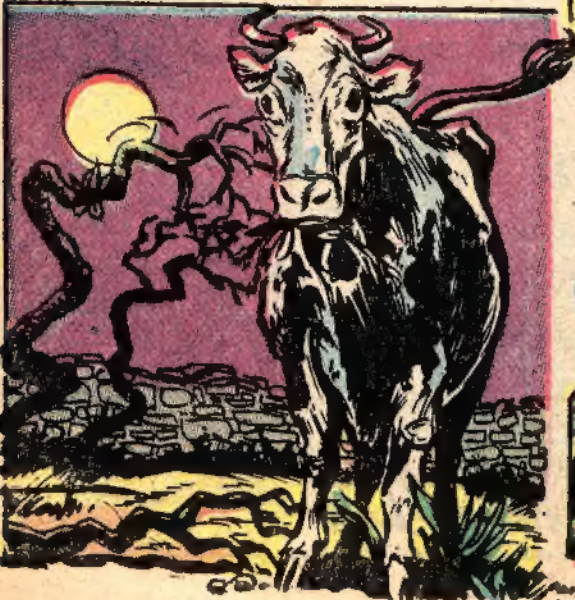
"SOMETHING IN HER VOICE STOPPED ME. I GUESS I DID LOOK KINDA SILLY SLASHING A FLOWER PLANT TO THE GROUND..."

SAM, WHAT'S WRONG? EVER SINCE THOSE SCIENTIFIC MEN CAME HERE, YOU BEEN ACTING STRANGE!

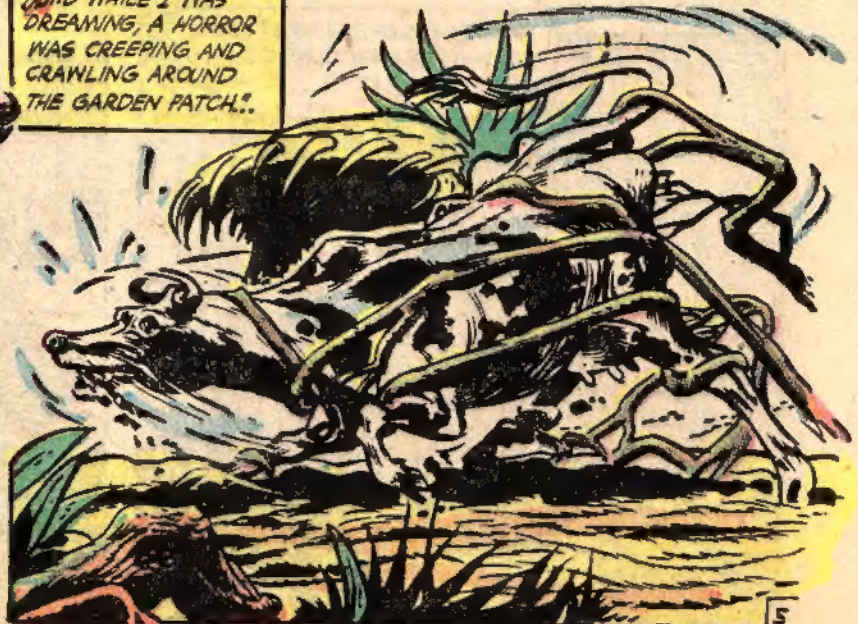
IT'S JUST THAT I FEEL THERE'S SOMETHIN' WRONG, LAURA--SOMETHIN' MIGHTY WRONG! FIRST THE LITTLE BIRD, NOW HUNTER--MY DOG...



"SHE MUST HAVE GIVEN ME A SEDATIVE, BECAUSE I DIDN'T HEAR A THING THAT NIGHT AS I SLEPT..."



"AND WHILE I WAS DREAMING, A HORROR WAS CREEPING AND CRAWLING AROUND THE GARDEN PATCH..."



"I FOUND THE HOOPS, THE HORNS AND THE METAL COWBELL IN THE MORNING..."

"THEN, THE BULL-DOZER WAS CLATTERING TO LIFE AND MY THOUGHTS WERE TERRIBLE THINGS..."

THEY'VE GOTTA GO--LAURA OR - NO LAURA!



THIS BABY'LL GIT 'EM, OLD NELLIE HERE'LL GIT 'EM ALL GOOD!



"JUST AS I STARTED TO DRIVE OUT, SHE WAS THERE-- RIGHT SMACK IN FRONT OF ME..."

"AGAIN I'D LET HER PERSUADE ME, AND IT WAS THE BIGGEST MISTAKE OF MY LIFE...IF ONLY I HAD KNOWN!"

LAURA, Y'AIN'T STOPPIN' ME THIS TIME! OUTTA THE WAY...

WAIT, SAM! THEY'LL BE GONE SOON! THEN THE MONEY, THE NEW BARN AND SILO...YOU MUST BE MISTAKEN ABOUT THE PLANTS -- YOU MUST!



SAM'S LIKE A MADMAN ABOUT THOSE PLANTS... WAIT THAT SOUND! WHAT WAS IT?



"LIKE A SNAKE, IT MUST'VE COME... SLITHERING QUIETLY AMONG THE WEEDS, UNTIL..."

"LATER, I COULD PIECE TOGETHER HOW IT MUST'VE HAPPENED, AS THE RUNNER DRAGGED HER TO THE PARENT PLANT STALK..."

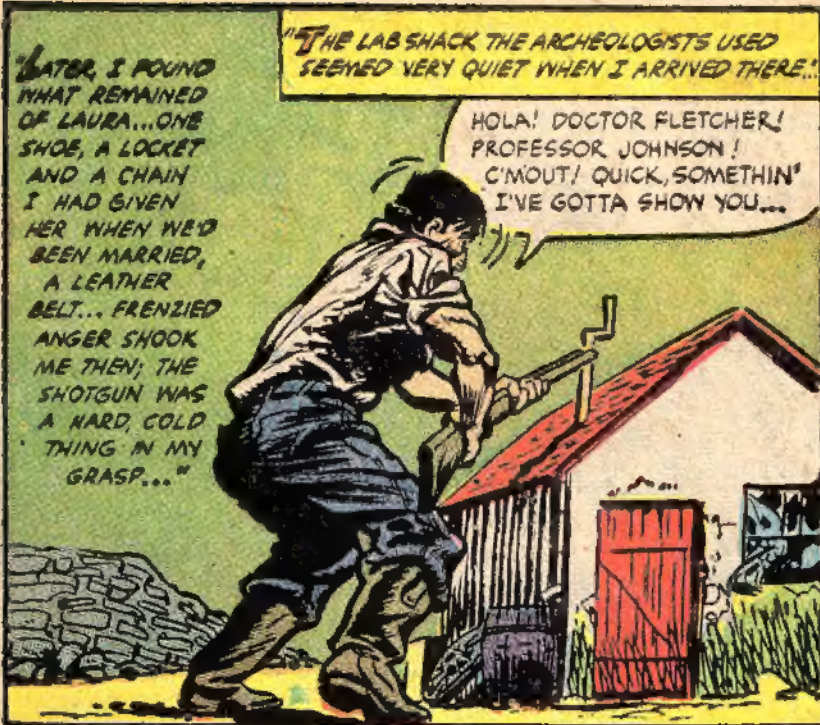
"THE BIG BEAUTIFUL PETALS UNFOLDED SILENTLY, AND LAURA'S STRUGGLES WERE OVER..."

NO, I... AWRKK!



HEL-PPP!





"LATER, I FOUND WHAT REMAINED OF LAURA...ONE SHOE, A LOCKET AND A CHAIN I HAD GIVEN HER WHEN WE'D BEEN MARRIED, A LEATHER BELT... FRENZIED ANGER SHOOK ME THEN; THE SHOTGUN WAS A HARD, COLD THING IN MY GRASP..."

"THE LAB SHACK THE ARCHEOLOGISTS USED SEEMED VERY QUIET WHEN I ARRIVED THERE..."

HOLA! DOCTOR FLETCHER! PROFESSOR JOHNSON! C'MOUT! QUICK, SOMETHIN' I'VE GOTTA SHOW YOU...

"NO ONE CAME TO THE DOOR, AS I HAD HOPED! NOT EVEN A VOICE ANSWERED ME..."

C'MOUT NOW--OUT, OR I'LL GO IN AND CLEAN YOU OUT WITH SHOT!



WHAT THE...? NO, IT CAN'T BE, CAN'T BE...

"I CREPT CLOSER, THEN I WAS BUTTING IN THE DOOR-- AND I STOPPED DEAD IN MY TRACKS..."

"IT WAS THE SAME STORY OF HUNTER, THE COW AND LAURA ALL OVER AGAIN... JUST THE REMAINS OF THEM..."



THEM TOO, AND I'LL BE NEXT... WHAT'S THAT?



"I HEARD IT, A RUSTLING SOUND ON THE OLD BOARD FLOOR; I FELT SOMETHING TOUCH MY FOOT; AND THEN I COULD SEE THE RUNNERS TRYING TO GRAB ME..."

"I TWISTED AWAY FAST, AND MY SHOTGUN WAS BLASTING THOSE DEVILISH TENDRILS INTO KINGDOM COME..."



"ON THE WAY BACK TO THE FARMHOUSE, I WAS DECIDING THE BEST WAY TO DESTROY 'EM ALL FOR GOOD..."



GASOLINE...A SPRAY; IGNITE IT...YUP! FIRE'LL DO THE TRICK! TONIGHT...

"THEN, I WAS UP FROM THE COLD EARTH WHERE I'D BEEN LYING! THE HISS OF THE GASOLINE SPRAY WAS A WELCOME SOUND..."

HERE! A GOOD DRINK FOR YOU DEVILS -- THE LAST YOU'LL EVER HAVE!



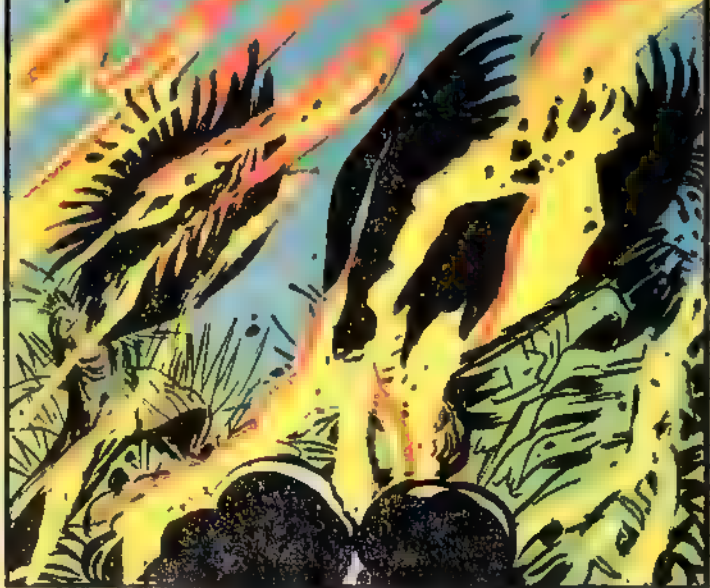
"THEY SEEMED TO WILT WHEN THE GASOLINE TOUCHED THEM, I COULD HEAR THE RUSTLING OF THE RUNNERS SNAKING OUT TOWARD ME..."



"THE LANTERN WENT TUMBLING CRAZILY THROUGH THE AIR, THEN THE SMALL 'WHUMP' AS IT SMASHED..."



"IT WAS GOOD TO WATCH THOSE DEVIL VINES STRUGGLING IN THE ROARING FLAMES, THEIR LIFE JUICES BEING DRIED UP QUICKLY..."



"I COULD HEAR THE CRACKLING AND THEY SEEMED TO BE WHIMPERING -- ALMOST HUMAN-LIKE..."

HEE HEE HEE!
LAURA, LAURA--I
DID IT, I DID IT...



"LATER, MY SCYTHE SLASHED DOWN EVERYTHING THAT REMAINED OF THEM..."

I'LL GO BACK NOW--
GET SOME REST. I--I FEEL
TIRED...



THAT WAS THE END OF FARMER SAM'S STORY; TOO BAD HE'D BEEN TIRED, FOR IF HE'D WAITED HE WOULD HAVE SEEN THEM-- THE DEVIL SEEDS!



THE
END

THE THING THAT WALKED AT NIGHT

OUT OF THE DEAD BLACK NIGHT IT CAME... A BUBBLING SCREAM FROM LIPS THAT WERE NOT HUMAN! AND THE DULL ECHO OF IT HUNG HEAVILY ON THE CLOSE AIR IN FRED ACKERS' BEDROOM, SENDING CHILLS OF FEAR RACING THROUGH HIM AND HIS SLEEP-DAZED WIFE... THEN, THEY WERE SHADOWS, CROUCHED IN THE HALLWAY, LOOKING FOR... **THE THING THAT WALKED AT NIGHT!**



Benulis
Abel

THERE WAS SILENCE NOW, BUT THE DREAD WAS THERE IN THEIR POUNDING HEARTS...

THERE WAS NOT A SOUND FROM WITHIN THE ROOM, AS THEY OPENED THE DOOR...

THE HEAVY DUTY METAL BARS BENT LIKE STRAW TOLD FRED ACKERS AND HIS WIFE A MUTE TALE...

IT CAME FROM OUTSIDE, ALICE! AND IT WAS HER VOICE...

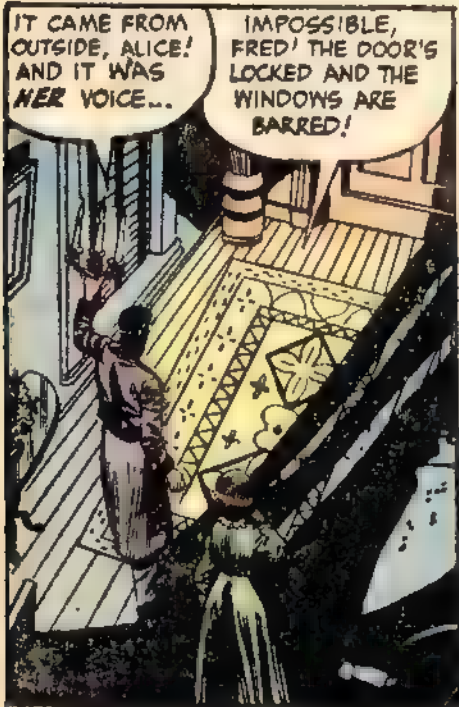
IMPOSSIBLE, FRED! THE DOOR'S LOCKED AND THE WINDOWS ARE BARRED!

WHY, SHE'S NOT HERE! NO ONE'S HERE! BUT HOW DID SHE...

THE WINDOW... GREAT SCOTT! LOOK AT IT...

SUCH A FRAGILE LITTLE THING... HOW COULD THIS HAPPEN, FRED?

I DON'T KNOW! THERE WAS SOMETHING ODD ABOUT HER FROM THE BEGINNING... REMEMBER?



FRED ACKERS' THOUGHTS CARRIED HIM BACK FIVE YEARS; BACK TO THAT DAY BOTH HE AND HIS WIFE HAD GONE TO THE ORPHANAGE. THE INTERVIEW WITH THE SUPERINTENDANT HAD BEEN VERY PLEASANT...

...FOR HE SEEMED TO UNDERSTAND THEIR PROBLEM CLEARLY...

MANY MARRIED COUPLES WHO CANNOT HAVE CHILDREN OF THEIR OWN COME HERE. ADOPTION IS BECOMING A COMMON CUSTOM AND, I THINK, A MOST WISE ONE.

THEY'D LOOKED AT DOZENS OF CHILDREN, BUT ONLY ONE HAD MADE AN IMPRESSION ON ALICE...

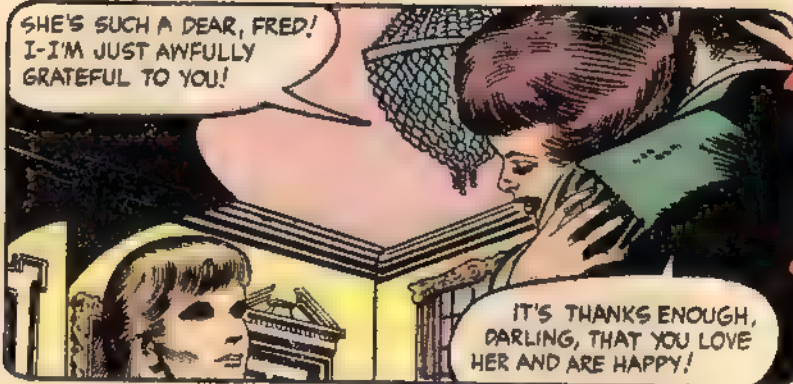
NAME'S JOAN. PARENTS DIED DURING WORLD WAR II. SHE'S AN ATTRACTIVE CHILD, ALMOST BRILLIANT AT TIMES...HOWEVER, THERE IS ONE THING I OUGHT TO TELL YOU...

I DON'T THINK IT MATTERS, SIR; SEEMS LIKE MY WIFE'S ALREADY MADE UP HER MIND.



IT WAS LITTLE JOAN THEY'D TAKEN HOME WITH THEM...

SHE'S SUCH A DEAR, FRED! I-I'M JUST ANFULLY GRATEFUL TO YOU!



IT'S THANKS ENOUGH, DARLING, THAT YOU LOVE HER AND ARE HAPPY!



REPORTS FILED IN OF A 'THING' THAT PROWLED AT NIGHT; A HAGGISH SHAPE THAT PURSUED SMALL ANIMALS...

ALMOST FOUR YEARS HAD PASSED, THEN ONE NIGHT A LATE PHONE CALL...

EVERYTHING'S JUST FINE, DAN...SURE, PROWLER? AROUND YOUR PLACE? WELL, I NEVER...HEADED HERE? HA, YOU MUST BE MISTAKEN, OR MEBBE SOMETHING YOU ATE...OF COURSE, I'M SURE...



EVEN WHEN THE FINGER POINTED AT JOAN, FRED ACKERS WOULD NOT PART WITH HER...

AND SHE HAD BEEN KEPT SAFE, UNTIL TONIGHT! FRED AND ALICE WAITED LONG, TORTUROUS HOURS...

YOU'LL BE SAFE HERE NOW, JOAN BABY! THE BARS AND THE DOOR WILL PROTECT YOU FROM, FROM...

HE MEANS IT WILL KEEP YOU FROM ROAMING THE NIGHT, DEAR!

OH DEAR HEAVEN, I HOPE NOTHING'S HAPPENED, I...

HUSH! SOMETHING MOVING OUTSIDE THE WINDOW...



A stylized illustration of a conical-roofed hut, possibly a beehive or a small dwelling, with a large yellow moon in the background. The hut has a red-tiled roof and a large window with vertical bars. A small figure is visible near the window. The scene is set against a dark, silhouetted landscape with trees.

OH FRED...NO! I-I
FEEL FA-A-AINT...
OOOH!

G-GOOD HEAVENS! IT
CAN'T BE!

A FEW MINUTES LATER THE DOORBELL WAS Jangling HARSH AND LOUD...

QUICK, ALICE! PULL YOURSELF TOGETHER! GET THE CHI...THE... HER TO BED AS FAST AS YOU CAN. YOU'RE NOT AFRAID?

NO, FRED-- NOT AFRAID. YOU ANSWER THE DOOR!

AT FIRST, FRED AND ALICE TRIED TO SHUT THEIR EYES AND EARS TO THE TERRIBLE TRUTH. BUT AS TIME WENT ON, EVEN THEY WERE FORCED TO SEE THINGS AS THEY WERE...



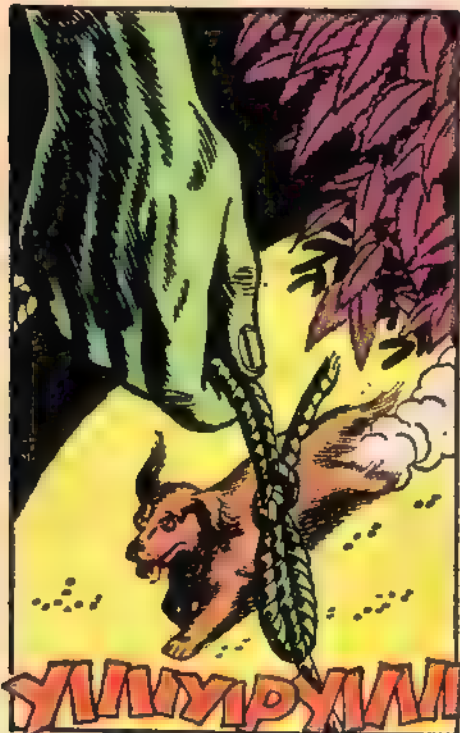
AND ONE NIGHT, AS THE WIND WENT WHISTLING THROUGH THE TREES...

I'M PRETTY SURE I SAW SOMETHING LEAVE FRED ACKERS' PLACE!

SHHH! LOOK THERE, FELLAS... SOMEONE COMING!

BUT AS SHE STARTED TO PASS THE MEN, A LASSO HISSED TOWARD HER...

LIKE A BEAST SHE WHIRLED AND THEY SAW HER FACE FULL IN THE MOONLIGHT...

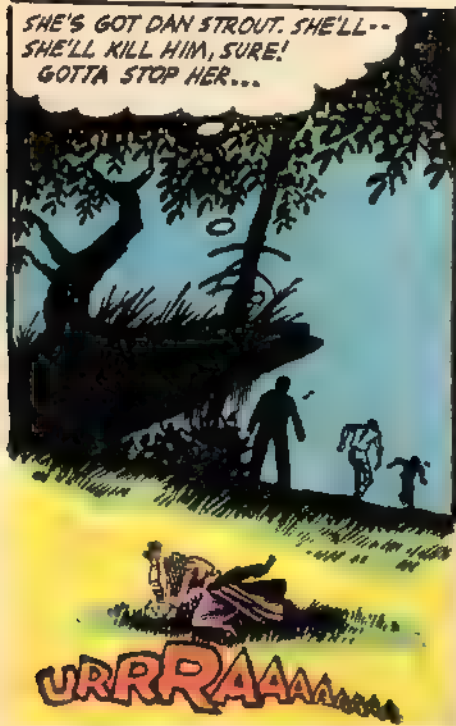


GOT THE DEVIL! NOW, CLOSE IN AROUND HER...



FROM ANOTHER POSITION, FRED ACKERS WATCHED--STUNNED...

SHE'S GOT DAN STROUT. SHE'LL-- SHE'LL KILL HIM, SURE! GOTTA STOP HER...



JOAN! JOAN! RUN, THEY'RE COMING. THEY'LL GET YOU. RUN HOME, QUICKLY. GO NOW!



SOMEHOW HIS VOICE PENETRATED HER DULL BRAIN AND SHE'D RUN OFF TOWARD HOME--BUT FRED'S MIND WAS ANWHIRL...

IT STARTED WITH ANIMALS. NOW HUMANS. NEXT THING'LL BE M-MURDER...NO, I CAN'T ALLOW THAT. I CAN'T...



AT HOME, BEFORE THE FIRE, THE VAGUE THOUGHTS BEGAN TO TAKE SHAPE IN FRED'S MIND ...



IT WAS THE NEXT MORNING THAT HE SPOKE TO ALICE...



I'VE MADE THE DECISION, DEAR... THE ONLY DECISION THAT CAN BE. SHE'S GOT TO DIE BEFORE SHE KILLS SOMEONE!

YOU LOOK WORRIED, FRED. IT'S JOAN, I KNOW... BUT WHAT CAN WE DO?

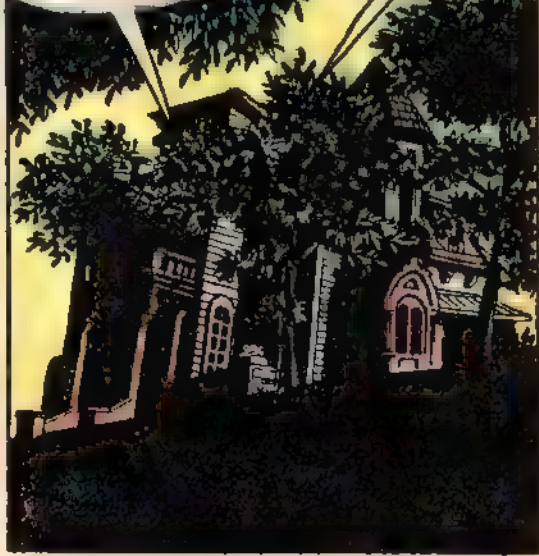
FRED COULD ALMOST FEEL THE ANGUISH ALICE FELT AT THAT MOMENT...

NO, FRED! THERE MUST BE ANOTHER WAY. WE- WE'LL MOVE AWAY FROM HERE, WE'LL...



YOU DIDN'T SEE HER LAST NIGHT, ALICE. I'VE THOUGHT IT ALL OUT... THIS IS THE ONLY WAY. DON'T YOU SEE, I LOVE HER TOO MUCH TO WANT ANYTHING TO HAPPEN TO HER!

YOU MEAN THOSE MEN WOULD K-KILL HER? OH, NO!



ALICE FINALLY AGREED AND THEY TOSSED A COIN TO SEE WHO WOULD DO IT...



WHY, YOU'VE CALLED IT. IT'S HEADS. Y-YOU'VE ELECTED YOURSELF TO DO THE JOB...

I UNDERSTAND NOW, FRED, THERE...

FRED DIDN'T SEEM TO NOTICE THAT HIS WIFE QUICKLY PALMED THE DOUBLE-HEADED COIN SHE HAD TOSSED...

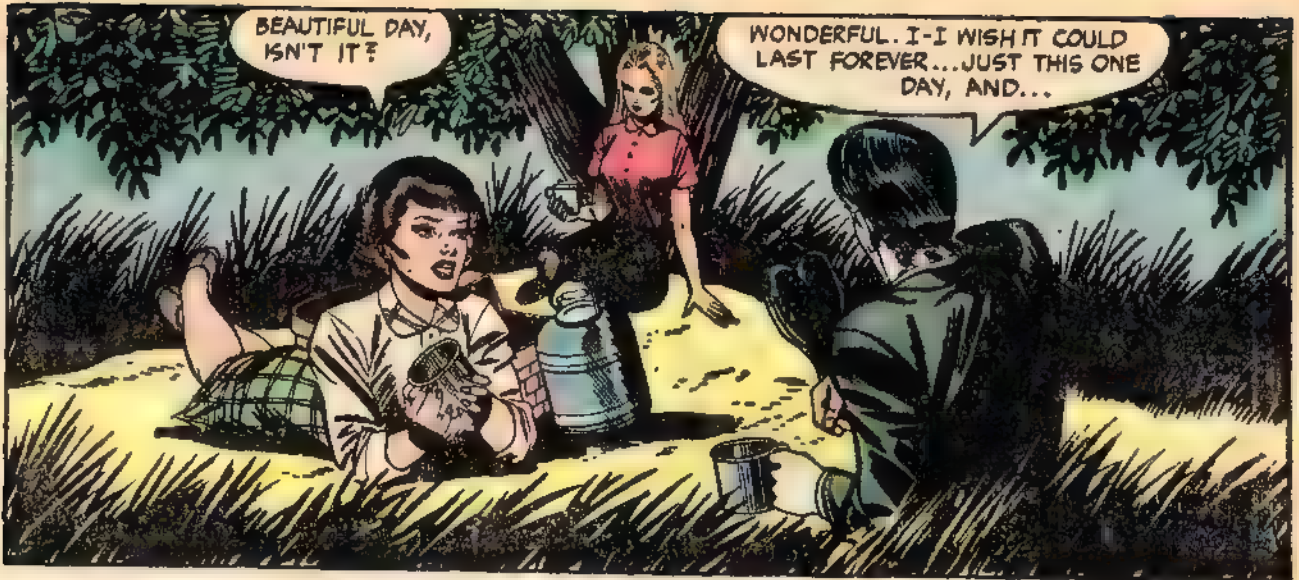


SO NOW THE PLAN WAS SET. FRED HANDED HER A HARD, COLD METAL OBJECT...



BE CAREFUL, IT'S LOADED. TOMORROW... OUT IN THE COUNTRY SOMEWHERE... WE'LL PRETEND IT'S A PICNIC...

NEXT MORNING, FRED DROVE THEM FAR OUT INTO THE COUNTRY...



BEAUTIFUL DAY, ISN'T IT?

WONDERFUL. I-I WISH IT COULD LAST FOREVER...JUST THIS ONE DAY, AND...

FRED KNEW ALICE WAS SOFTENING, IN A MOMENT HE'D BE SOFTENING HIMSELF...

FRED WATCHED THEM GET UP, WATCHED ALICE LEAD THE CHILD OFF ABOUT FIVE YARDS...

HE SAW THEM STOP, AND HE SAW ALICE TURNING TOWARD HIM--SLOWLY...



NOW, ALICE--NOW, TAKE HER INTO THOSE TREES THERE AND DO IT!

Y-YES FRED!



COME ON, JOAN--YOU AND I WILL PICK SOME OF THOSE WILD FLOWERS OVER THERE!



ALICE! WHAT ARE YOU STOPPING FOR? GO ON, GO ON...HEY WHAT'RE YOU DOING...

HE HEARD THE SHARP REPORT, SAW THE GUN-SMOKE, FELT THE IMPACT OF SOMETHING HITTING HIS CHEST...

FRED, FRED...I'M SORRY, THERE WAS NO OTHER WAY AT ALL. AND IF YOU'D KNOWN THE TRUTH--EVEN YOU WOULD HAVE AGREED...

HE NEVER KNEW AND I COULD NEVER TELL HIM THAT YOU ARE MY REAL DAUGHTER, JOAN...THAT YOU WERE BORN AS THE ATOM BOMB FELL WHILE I WAS A PRISONER OF WAR AT HIROSHIMA! SHE REALLY ISN'T DANGEROUS, FRED!



ALICE, NO...NO... I...OOOH!





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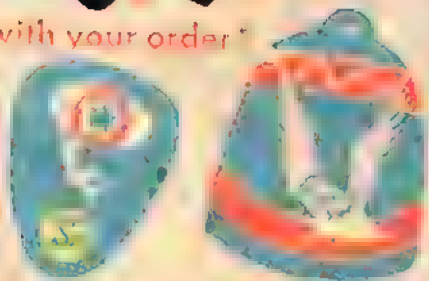
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MAYBE YOU SPOT A YOUNG MAN OR AN OLD MAN...OR PERHAPS A WOMAN AND A CHILD COMING YOUR WAY...

YOU SEE THEM COMING CLOSER, BUT AS YOU PUT OUT YOUR HAND AND BEGIN TO SPEAK...

YOU STAND THERE HELPLESS-- NOTHING NEW... YOU'VE BEEN THROUGH ALL THIS BEFORE...



YOU DON'T REALIZE SOMEONE'S WATCHING YOU FROM THE SHADOWS--WITH VERY CRAFTY EYES...

SEE WHAT I SEE? WHO'D EVER BELIEVE IT, KRAMER?

NOBODY! BUT WE BETTER GET HIM--FAST! HEY!

AT THE SHOUT, YOU START RUNNING--FAST AS YOU CAN...

STOP THAT MAN! CUT HIM OFF, QUICK!

OUT OF THE DARKNESS A DUNCH OF THEM JUMP, CUTTING OFF YOUR ESCAPE--YOU'RE TRAPPED...

GOT HIM, BOSS!

GOOD WORK! BRING HIM TO THE SUPPLY TENT!

THE MINUTES FLY PAST IN THE SUPPLY TENT, A DRINK IS PUSHED TOWARD YOU-- THEN YOU BEGIN TO UNDERSTAND...

WE DON'T WANT TO HARM YOU, FELLA. JUST WANT TO OFFER YOU A JOB. NOW, WHAT DO YOU SAY?

I...I NEVER WORKED BEFORE...

IF IT'S JUST WHAT YOU'VE TOLD ME, THEN I'LL DO IT. BUT YOU'LL HAVE TO HELP ME!

THE NEXT DAY YOU'RE PART OF THE CARNIVAL, YOU'VE GOT A JOB, AT LAST...

JUST STRAIGHTEN OUT THAT LEFT EYEBROW A BIT, LITTLE MORE HAIR ON THE BACK...

YEAH, YEAH... I'M BEGINNING TO SEE WHAT YOU MEAN!

FINALLY, YOU'VE GOT IT-- YOU'RE A NEANDERTHAL MAN...

WELL, HOW DO I LOOK? THINK I'LL PASS, EH?

THEY'VE BRIEFED YOU FULLY, OF COURSE-- THE WHOLE THING IS A PUBLICITY GAG. THEY'VE BEEN NEEDING SOMETHING TO STIMULATE THEIR CARNIVAL BUSINESS, AND THIS IS IT... EVERYTHING SEEMS TO BE ON THE LEVEL...SO FAR...

ABOUT THREE DAYS LATER, THEY BRING YOU TO SOME OLD, OLD CAVES...

THIS IS ABOUT WHERE THEY FOUND THE FIRST REMNANTS OF THE NEANDERTHAL RACE. NOW, YOU'VE GOT EVERYTHING STRAIGHT?

YES. I'M TO WAIT HERE UNTIL YOU AND SOME OTHERS FIND ME. I DON'T TALK...



YOU START OFF NOT KNOWING WHAT YOU'LL FIND, YOU HEAR THEM CHUCKLING BEHIND YOU...

I CAN SEE THEM NOW, KRAMER--PUSHING AND SHOIVING TO GET A GLIMPSE OF A REAL NEANDERTHAL MAN ON THE MIDWAY!

YEP! IT'S A GREAT PUBLICITY STUNT, BOSS!



IT'S COOL AND DAMP AND VERY DARK INSIDE THE CAVE, THERE'S A MUSTY ODOR THAT MAKES YOU FEEL FUNNY...

MAYBE I SHOULDN'T HAVE TAKEN THIS. I DON'T THINK I LIKE IT MUCH...



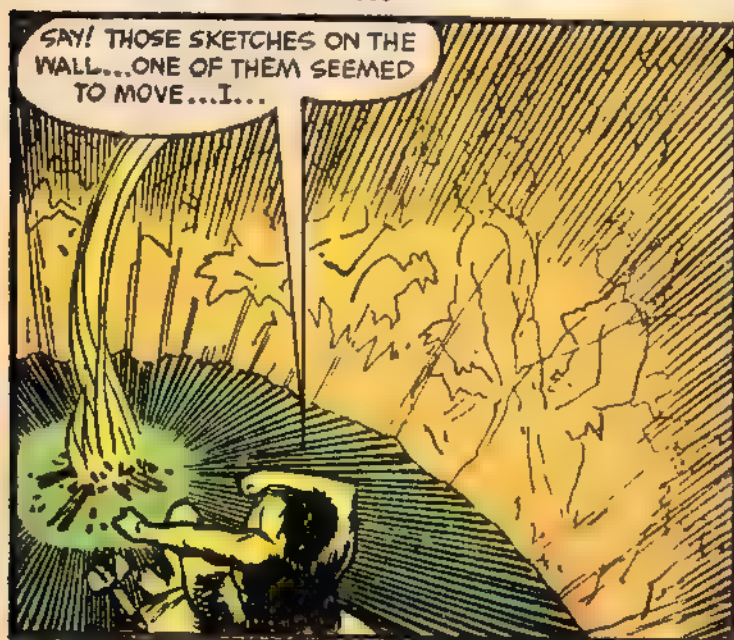
SOON, YOU DISCOVER THAT A SMALL FIRE MAKES THE CHILLY DAMPNNESS AND THE DARKNESS GO AWAY...

THERE, THAT DOES IT. I HOPE THEY COME SOON!



BEFORE THE FIRE YOU RELAX, MAYBE DROWSE A LITTLE... YOU WAKE UP WITH A START...

SAY! THOSE SKETCHES ON THE WALL...ONE OF THEM SEEMED TO MOVE...I...



YOU SEE IT CLEARLY NOW AND IT IS MOVING...DEFINITELY TOWARD YOU...

NO, I'M DREAMING! IT CAN'T BE...NO! HELLPPP!



AT FIRST YOU DON'T BELIEVE IT'S REAL, THEN YOU REALIZE IT IS... ALL THE NIGHT-MARK TERROR OF IT; UNDER THE TERRIBLE STRAIN YOUR MIND CRACKS, AND YOU WELCOME THE SWEET OBLIVION OF UNCONSCIOUSNESS...



THE SUN HAS BEEN UP FOR HOURS AND FINALLY YOU HEAR THE FAINT SOUND OF VOICES...



HEY, LOOK! ISN'T THAT OUR PRIZE ON THE GROUND THERE?

IT IS! LUCKY WE CAME DOWN FOR A CHECKUP

YOU FEEL THE ROUGH JOLTS AS THEY SHAKE YOU



WAKE UP, DYKER--WHAT HAPPENED? WHAT'RE YOU DOING HERE?

NO! DON'T HURT ME... OH, IT'S YOU!

YOUR MIND CLEARS, THEN IT ALL COMES BACK... THE MEMORY OF THE NIGHT BEFORE...

THE MOVEMENTS TOOK SHAPE... STRANGE LOOKING PEOPLE WERE COMING TOWARD ME...

LET ME SEE... I-I WAS SEATED BEFORE THE FIRE, AND THE LIGHT OF IT MADE STRANGE PATTERNS ON THE WALLS. I-I THOUGHT I SAW SOMETHING MOVE... NO, I DID SEE SOMETHING MOVE, AND, AND...

WH-WHO ARE Y-YOU? WHA-WHAT D-DO YOU WANT?



ONE OF THEM, A GIRL, I GUESS--KEPT POINTING HER FINGER AT ME...

RAM, I REACHED OUTSIDE, WHEN A HEAVY ROCK KNOCKED ME SENSELESS...

AFTER YOU FINISH TELLING THE STORY, THEY JUST STARE AT YOU LIKE YOU'RE CRAZY...



GAH DRANG GOOGAH KADA KOO.



LOOK, FRIEND... YOU HAD A DREAM. A BAD NASTY OLD DREAM, SEE? NOW YOU GO RIGHT BACK IN THERE AND WAIT, OR I'LL CALL THE POLICE!

THE POLICE! YEAH, OKAY-- I'LL WAIT!



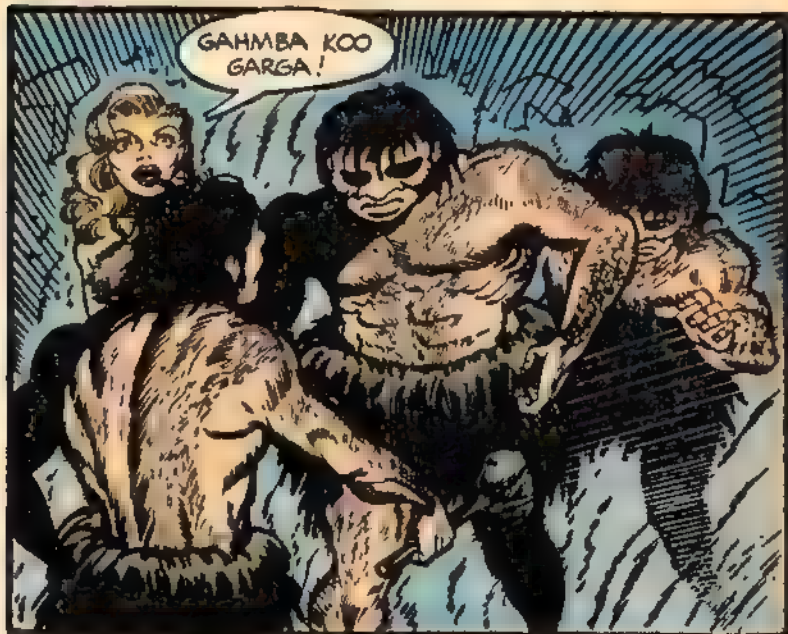
YOU REALIZE WHEN YOU'RE LICKED, SO YOU TURN AROUND AND GO BACK INSIDE...

THEN, YOU SEE THEM AGAIN--AND YOU LAUGH A LITTLE, AS YOU REALIZE IT'S ONLY A DREAM...

OF ALL THE CRAZY STORIES! BUT NO PANHANDLING BUM'S GOING TO SPOIL MY STUNT!



GAH MBA KOO GARGA!



STRONG HANDS CLOSE AROUND YOU, YOU FEEL THEM DRAGGING YOU DEEPER AND DEEPER INTO THE CAVE...

THAT WALL AGAIN, ONLY THIS TIME YOU'RE GOING RIGHT INTO IT WITH THE REST OF THEM...

EVEN YET YOU CAN HEAR THE CRIES OF AMAZEMENT AND WONDER FROM YOUR TWO FORMER EMPLOYERS...

GRAH GOMBA KA KA...

GUH GUH WONDO!



SAY, WHAT THE DEVIL! ARE WE DREAMING, OR... DID OR DIDN'T HE GO RIGHT THROUGH THIS WALL?

HE DID, BOSS--AND HERE'S PROOF ENOUGH WE WEREN'T DREAMING RIGHT HERE ON THE FLOOR...LOOK!



AND YOU, YOURSELF, CAN'T HELP CHUCKLING WHEN YOU SEE THEIR PUZZLEMENT GROW...

THE CLUB WE GAVE HIM. SO HE WAS HERE. WE WERE NOT DREAMING.

SO FAR THAT'S PRETTY MUCH RIGHT, BOSS-- BUT NEITHER WAS HE!



AND SO IT ENDS. SOMEHOW YOUR BEING HAD GOTTEN TWISTED UP IN A TIME WARP, SHOVED AHEAD...BUT THERE'S NO ESCAPE; FOR THESE ARE YOUR PEOPLE... AND YOU WERE NOTHING MORE THAN A THROWBACK!



SOMEWHERE HIGH IN THE ALPS A HUGE JAGGED PINNACLE OF GRANITE THRUSTS UP INTO THE SWIRLING CLOUDS... AND THE WIND WHAILS LIKE A THOUSAND BANSHEES... IT IS HERE, MY SIMPLE SWISS COUNTRYFOLK SAY, THAT THE BAD PEOPLE MEET FATE; HERE, THEY WHISPER, THAT DEATH IS FOUND AT THE ICE-LOCKED BASE OF...

Monster Fang!

"BUT YOU DON'T BELIEVE THIS... JUST A LITTLE END YOU SAY... WELL, SHALL WE SEE?"

"DEVIL'S RIDGE, MY COUNTRYFOLK CALL IT... AND MANY ARE THE CLIMBERS WHO HAVE TRIED TO REACH THE UPPERMOST PINNACLE, CALLED MONSTER FANG..."

I'M ANTON GRUBACHER, THE MOUNTAIN CLIMBER'S GUIDE-- AND LOOK, OVER THERE IS THE MOUNTAIN WE'LL CLIMB...



"THESE ARE THE PEOPLE, WHO HIRED ME TO GUIDE THEM UP THE ROCKY SLOPES..."

"YES, THEY ALL HAVE REASONS FOR WANTING TO CLIMB-- BUT NONE OF THEM EVER KNOWS THE REAL ONE..."

"THEN OVER GLACIAL STREAMLETS, ACROSS DEEP AND YAWNING RAVINES..."

MY REASON FOR GOING, SIR RAMSEY? I'VE ALWAYS FOUND MOUNTAIN CLIMBING A CHALLENGE TO HUMAN ENDURANCE.

I LIKE IT BECAUSE IT'S HIGH-- PUTS ME CLOSE TO HEAVEN!

AND I... TO RECAPTURE MEMORIES OF MY, ER, YOUTH, LET US SAY...

WELL, WE'RE OFF!

YES, AND WHEN WE RETURN... EACH OF US WILL HAVE FOUND SOMETHING.

WE HOPE, MISS GREGORY!

DIG IN, MISS-- HARD WITH THOSE CLEATS..

I'VE GOT IT NOW-- PULL ME!



"THERE WAS A BRIEF REST ON A SMALL PLATEAU, THEN ONCE AGAIN UP THE STEEP ROCKY WALLS UNTIL DEVIL'S RIDGE HAD BEEN REACHED--AND VERY SOON AFTER, WE HAD APPROACHED THE GRANITE PINNACLE, CALLED MONSTER FANG..."

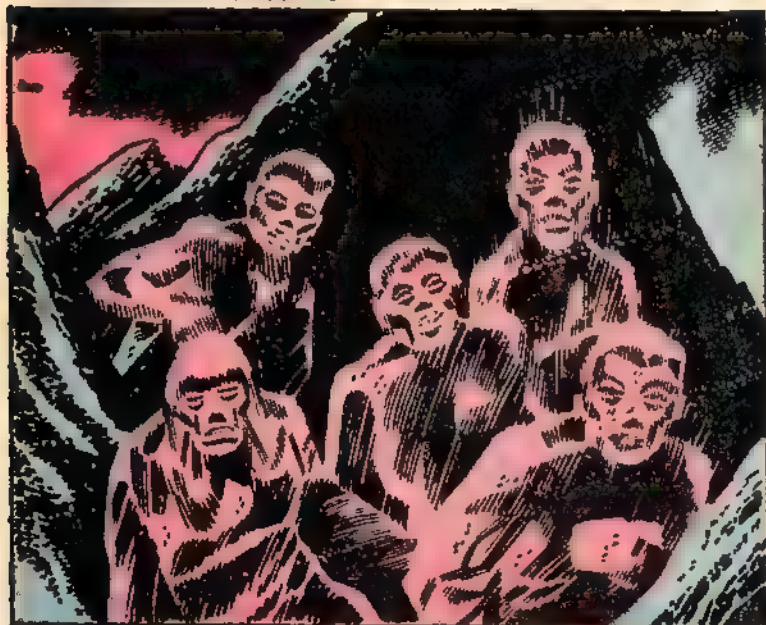


"BUT AS WE DREW CLOSER THE AWE CHANGED INTO A FEELING OF HORROR..."



"BUT THE SILENT FIGURES WERE UNMOVING THERE IN THE DARK SHADOWS--JUST WATCHING..."

THEY SAY THOSE FIGURES WERE PUT HERE BY FATE...TO GUARD THE PINNACLE FROM THOSE WHO WOULD DARE TO CLIMB IT!



POPPYCOCK! WHY, I AM BEGINNING TO FEEL MY YOUTH COMING BACK ALREADY!

DITTO, SIR RAMSEY! CLIMBING THAT PEAK IS A GAMBLE AND I'M GOING TO TAKE IT!

"BUT ONE OF THEM WASN'T SO SURE OF HIMSELF..."

WAIT! YOU'RE WRONG--BOTH OF YOU! ONE OF THEM IS MOVING...TOWARD ME...LOOK!



"THE YOUNG MAN WAS STARING IN HORROR AT THE THING WHICH TO HIM, SEEMED TO COME TO LIFE..."

RAAAHH! COME, GEORGE...



NO, NO, CAROLINE...
I... I NEVER MEANT
TO KILL YOU, I...

RAAAH! I'VE WAITED A LONG,
LONG TIME, GEORGE...



I-I DON'T GET IT!
THERE WAS NOTHING
THERE, YET NOW
HE'S D-DEAD...

ERROR, MADAM. THERE WAS
SOMETHING, BUT ONLY HE SAW
IT! THE EVIL HE COMMITTED IN
LIFE TOOK ITS OWN REVENGE!



"AND THAT NIGHT, AROUND A FLICKERING CAMPFIRE WE
TALKED SOME MORE..."

THEN, THERE'S A
POSSIBILITY WE'LL
ALL MEET THE
SAME FATE?

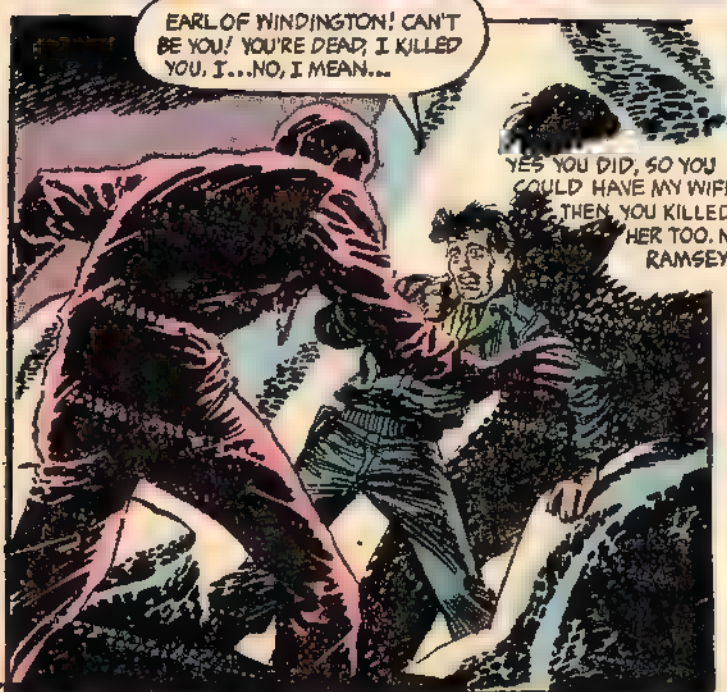
PERHAPS,
BUT ONLY
IF...

I SAY, SOME-
THING MOVED
OUT THERE--I-
I SAW IT...



EARL OF WINDINGTON! CAN'T
BE YOU! YOU'RE DEAD, I KILLED
YOU. I...NO, I MEAN...

YES YOU DID, SO YOU
COULD HAVE MY WIFE,
THEN YOU KILLED
HER TOO. NOW
RAMSEY...



HOW HORRIBLE! SIR RAMSEY'S
DEATH SCREAM--YET, I SEE
NOTHING--NOTHING!

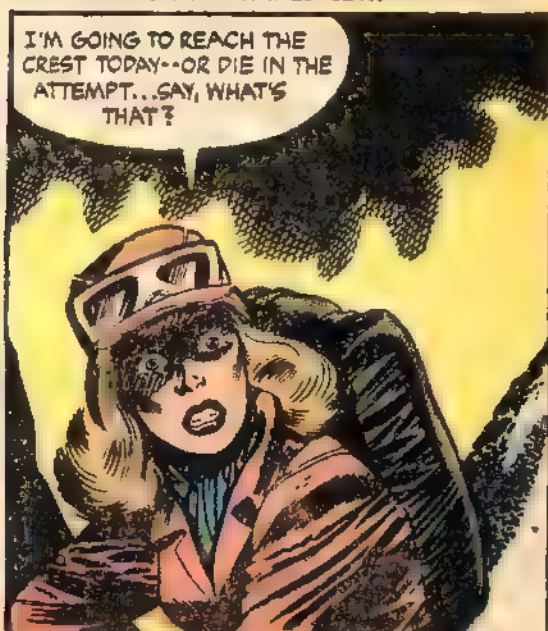
YOU SHALL, MISS
GREGORY-- YOU
SHALL!



THE NEXT MORNING, EVEN THOUGH TWO MEN HAD DIED, MISS GREGORY FELT THE CHALLENGE OF CLIMBING THE PEAK-- GROWING STRONGER THAN EVER..."

"WE STARTED OUT VERY EARLY AND SHE SET THE PACE-- FAR AHEAD OF ME..."

"BUT SHE PAID NO HEED TO MY WORDS, AND WHEN SHE REACHED THE MID-WAY LEDGE..."



"FROM BELOW, I COULD SEE HER STARING AT SOMETHING IN HORROR..."

JULIA! I'VE WAITED, WAITED A LONG TIME FOR YOU TO COME...

NO, JIM--I--DIDN'T MEAN TO DOUBLE-CROSS YOU, I DIDN'T... OH, PLEASE...

I'VE WAITED, JULIA... WAITED...



"I SAW HER BODY GOING SPRAWLING INTO SPACE..."

WELL, THAT'S ABOUT ALL. THEY WERE FOOLISH PEOPLE FOR COMING HERE, BUT I GUESS THEY COULDN'T ESCAPE

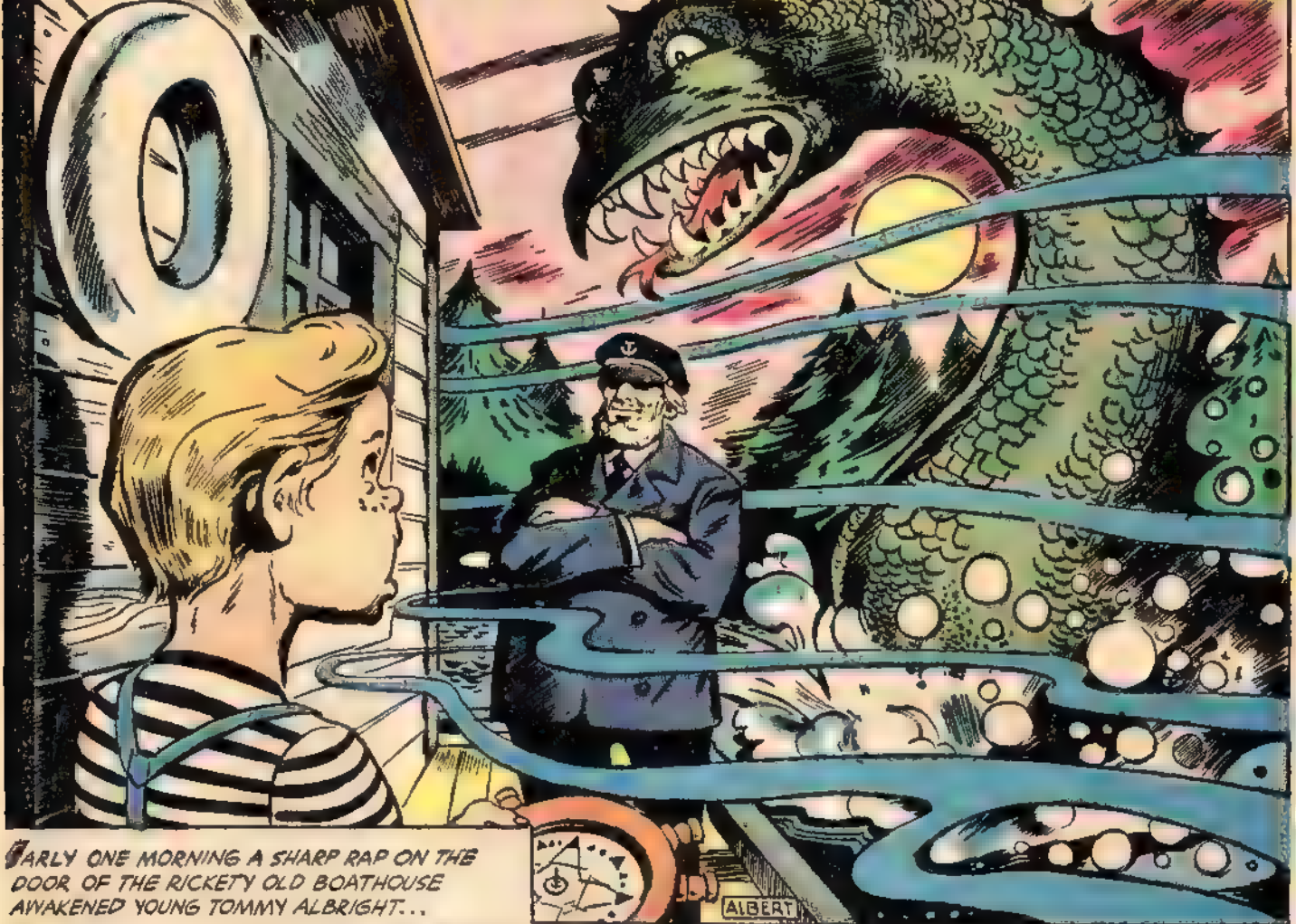
"I TOLD YOU MY NAME WAS ANTON GRUBACHER, BUT I AM ALSO KNOWN BY YET ANOTHER ONE..."



DEATH! AND THESE PEOPLE HAD TO MEET THE FATE I HAD PLANNED FOR THEM...

WHAT WOULD MOST PEOPLE ASK FOR IF THEY WERE GRANTED THREE WISHES? WEALTH? HEALTH? TO LIVE FOREVER? OR WOULD THEY ASK FOR SOMETHING...EVIL? IT WAS IN THE TALE OF THE WONDERFUL LAMP THAT ALADDIN COMMANDED THE GREAT DARK GENI TO BRING HIM GEMS AND PALACES AND A BEAUTIFUL PRINCESS... WELL, THIS IS THE STORY OF A YOUNG BOY AND WHAT HE WANTED MOST, OF A WEIRD OLD SEA CAPTAIN FROM ANOTHER WORLD, AND OF HIS FRIEND...

The MONSTER OF THE SEA



EARLY ONE MORNING A SHARP RAP ON THE DOOR OF THE RICKETY OLD BOATHOUSE AWAKENED YOUNG TOMMY ALBRIGHT...

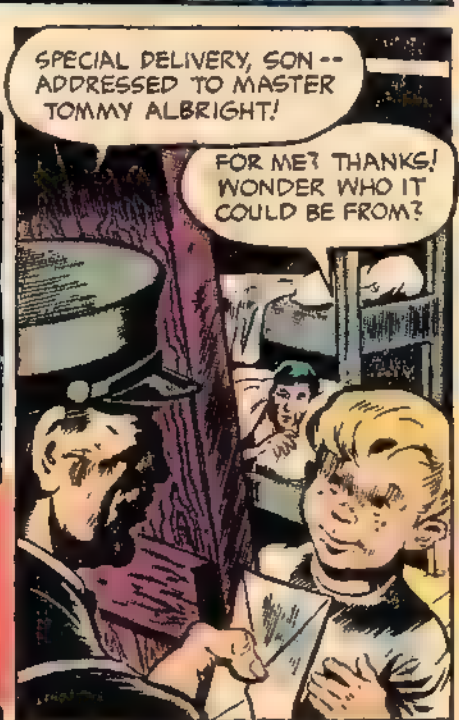


DAD! DAD! SOMEONE AT THE DOOR...



HIS FATHER WAS AWAKE TOO, AND HIS VOICE WAS A TREMBLING WHISPER...

WELL, ANSWER IT, AND IF IT'S THE COPS--TELL 'EM I'M NOT HERE. QUICK, NOW!



SPECIAL DELIVERY, SON -- ADDRESSED TO MASTER TOMMY ALBRIGHT!

FOR ME? THANKS! WONDER WHO IT COULD BE FROM?

THE LETTER, ADDRESSED TO THE BOY, SAID SIMPLY: "YOUR MATERNAL AUNT, AGATHA DOWNEY, HAVING PASSED AWAY, HAS MADE YOU SOLE BENEFICIARY OF HER LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT. IT WILL BE NECESSARY FOR YOU TO COME TO MY OFFICE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE: RESPECTFULLY YOURS, DUNCAN DE WITT, ESQ., ATTY. AT LAW."

AFTER THEY'D BOTH READ THE LETTER, BIG JIM WAS CHUCKLING...

SO THE OLD BAG DID HAVE A FORTUNE, AFTER ALL! MEBBE THINGS'LL LOOK UP FOR US, TOMMY!

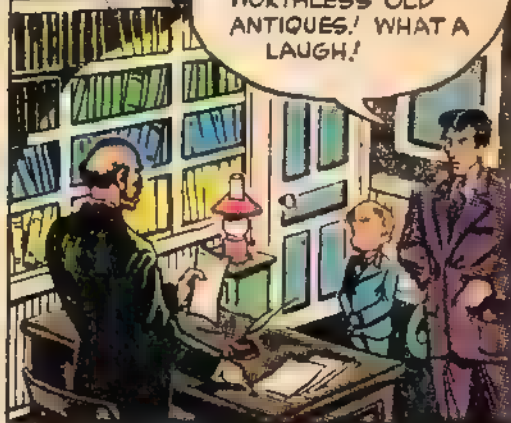
YES, DAD--AND WE CAN DO SOME OF THE THINGS I'VE ALWAYS WANTED TO DO. WE COULD GO FISHING, AND, AND...



BUT A FEW DAYS LATER, AFTER THE WILL WAS READ--BOTH THEIR FACES REGISTERED DEED DISAPPOINTMENT...

YOU'LL FIND THE ITEMS IN THE STORAGE HOUSE. THEY'LL BE TURNED OVER TO YOU. THAT'S ALL.

ANTIQUES! ALL THIS TROUBLE FOR A FEW WORTHLESS OLD ANTIQUES! WHAT A LAUGH!



TOMMY'S FATHER SOLD THE ITEMS TO AN ANTIQUE DEALER...

FIFTY BUCKS! A LOUSY FIFTY BUCKS. JUST ABOUT PAY ME BACK FOR THE TROUBLE I WENT TO!

SURE, DAD-- YOU KEEP IT. IT'S RIGHTFULLY YOURS.



BUT, UNKNOWN TO HIS FATHER, YOUNG TOMMY HAD SAVED ONE OF THE ANTIQUES...

GEE, THIS MUST BE OLD. A COMPASS FROM AN OLD TIME SAILING SHIP... BETCHA IT'S SEEN THE WORLD A THOUSAND TIMES OVER!



ONE NIGHT HE WAS PLAYING WITH IT IDLY, RUBBING HIS QUICK LITTLE FINGERS OVER THE SMOOTH BRIGHT SURFACE...

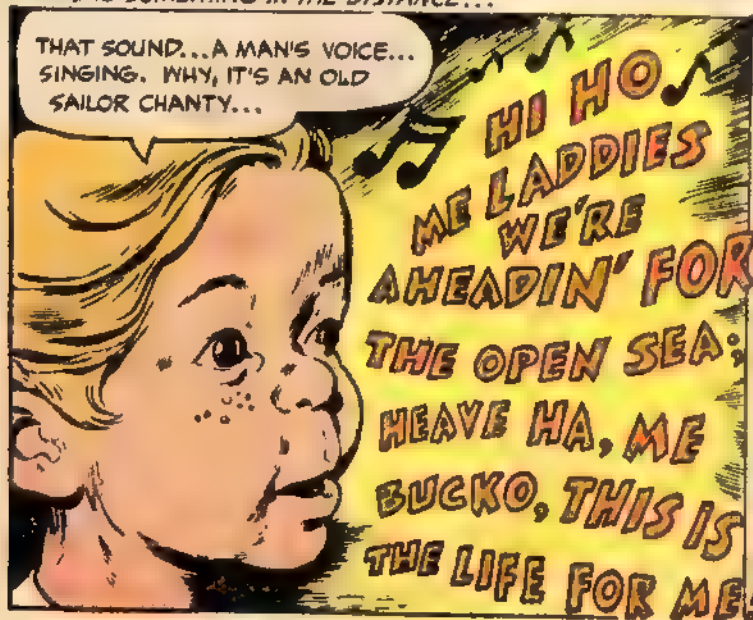
I WISH DADDY WOULDN'T BE MAD. I WISH HE WOULDN'T EVER BE MAD, ONLY LAUGHING AND HAPPY-- AWAY FROM THAT POOL HALL AND THE MEN THAT GO THERE...



HE WENT RIGHT ON MUSING AND DREAMING, THEN HE WAS HEARING SOMETHING IN THE DISTANCE...

THAT SOUND... A MAN'S VOICE... SINGING. WHY, IT'S AN OLD SAILOR CHANTY...

HI HO
ME LADDIES
WE'RE
AHEADIN' FOR
THE OPEN SEA;
HEAVE HA, ME
BUCKO, THIS IS
THE LIFE FOR ME!



THEN, THE SOUND OF FOOTSTEPS ON THE OLD ROTTEN DECK...

ARE YOU THE ONE WHO WAS SINGING, SIR,

THAT I BE, ME YOUNG HEARTY! AND LOOK--OUT ON THE WATER THERE... SURE IT'S ME FRIEND OSWALD, Y'VE CALLED, TOO!



HERE WAS A SOFT SPLASH--THEN A HUGE HULK WAS FLOATING ON THE SURFACE...

THEN THE OLD CAPTAIN'S VOICE WAS ROLLING, IN THE SAME TONE HE'D SUNG THE CHANTY...

IT--IT'S A GREAT BIG S-SEA M-MONSTER...

BIG YES, MONSTER NO! IT'S ONLY OSWALD!

SEE, SONNY, ME LAD--WE LIVE IN ANOTHER WORLD. THE WORLD OF PEOPLE WHO BELIEVE! WITH THAT OLD SHIP'S COMPASS, YOU CALLED US HERE TO GRANT YOU THREE WORTHY WISHES!--ONE AT A TIME!

LATER ON, HE COULD FEEL THE HOUSEBOAT LURCHING AND SHAKING...

HEY WHAT? I-I THOUGHT THE BOAT WAS QUAKING, AND... DAD!

WHATSA. IDEA SLEEPIN' ON THAT DECK. LIABLE TO BREAK YOUR FOOL NECK...

AND ANOTHER THING, WHERE'D YOU STEAL THIS FISHING ROD? MUST BE WORTH OVER A HUNDRED BUCKS! WHERE'D YOU STEAL IT...

NO, DAD--I DIDN'T STEAL IT! THEY LEFT IT. IT WAS TRUE...

YOUNG TOMMY'S HEAD WENT SPINNING LIKE A TOP AS HE THOUGHT AND THOUGHT...

GOLLY GEE! MUST BE A DREAM! I'LL WAKE UP AND FIND OUT I WAS SLEEPIN'. I KNOW! DAD ALWAYS WANTED A GOOD FISHING ROD AND REEL. MAKE IT THAT, SIR!

LAST NIGHT...I WAS RUBBING THIS...I SAVED IT FROM WHAT AUNT AGATHA LEFT ME...AND AN OLD CAPTAIN AND A SEA MONSTER APPEARED--HONEST, DAD...

LOOK, TOMMY--MEBBE I AIN'T BEEN THE BEST FATHER IN THE WORLD, BUT I ALWAYS TAUGHT YOU NOT TO LIE TO ME! I OUGHTA BELT YOU GOOD!

NO, DAD, NO...I'LL PROVE IT, I'LL...

IT WAS THE VERY NEXT NIGHT AFTER THE DARKNESS HAD SETTLED AND HE WAS ALONE THAT TOMMY ONCE AGAIN GENTLY RUBBED THE OLD COMPASS, MUSING IDLY TO HIMSELF...



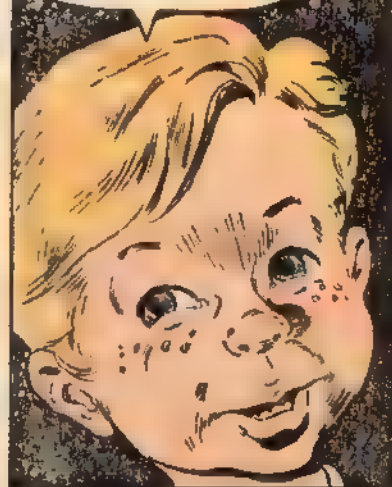
THEN, SUDDENLY, AS BEFORE THE OLD CHANTY WAS RINGING OUT AND THE TWO QUEER FIGURES APPEARED BEFORE HIM...

YOU ARE REAL! AND I THOUGHT IT WAS A DREAM I'D HAD...

WELL, ME HEARTY-- WHAT'LL BE YOUR PLEASURE THIS TIME?



DAD THINKS I STOLE THAT FISHING ROD! I TOLD HIM I'D PROVE I DIDN'T. IF YOU WOULD GIVE ME A MILLION DOLLARS, THEN HE'D BELIEVE...



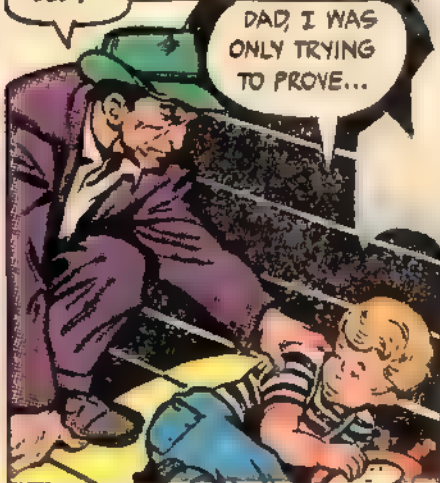
WISHING FOR MONEY, WITHOUT WORKING FOR IT, IS NOT A WORTHY WISH, SONNY, ME LAD. WE CAN'T GRANT Y' THAT, AND IT'S ANOTHER WISH USED. YE'VE GOT ONE MORE!



IT WAS CLOSE TO MORNING WHEN TOMMY AWOKE...

GET UP! WHAT'D I TELL YOU ABOUT SLEEPIN' ON THE DECK. GET INTO BED!

DAD, I WAS ONLY TRYING TO PROVE...



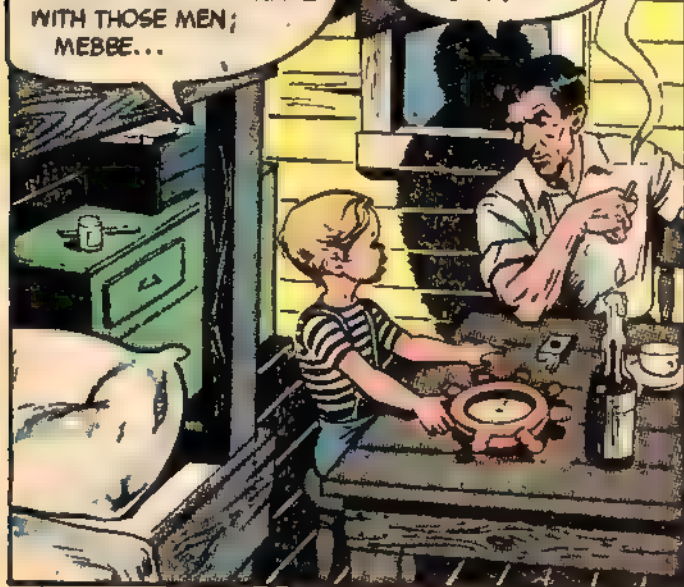
PROVE WHAT? WHAT'S GOIN' ON? I CATCH YOU SLEEPIN' ON THE DECK, AND STEALIN' AND LYIN' TO ME!

NO, DAD! I-I WANT SOMETHIN', AND I GUESS I-I JUST DON'T KNOW WHAT!



MEBSE IF YOU HAD A JOB; IF YOU DIDN'T HANG AROUND THE POOL HALL WITH THOSE MEN; MEBSE...

SAY! WHAT YOU GIVIN' ME HERE, BOY?



FOR A BRIEF MOMENT, HOPE HAD WELLED IN TOMMY; THEN IT WAS GONE...

LOOK, I GOT A RIGHT T'HAVE FRIENDS, AND I'M NOT LETTIN' 'EM DOWN FOR ANYBODY. GUESS I WASN'T CUT OUT TO WORK, OR TO BE A FATHER, EITHER, KID!



AS THE DAYS PASSED, TOMMY DELIVERED HIS NEWSPAPERS EACH AFTERNOON; HIS FATHER STAYED AWAY FOR LONGER AND LONGER PERIODS--THEN, ONE NIGHT...

A VAGUE HOPE HAD FORMULATED ITSELF IN HIS MIND AND HE RUBBED THE OLD COMPASS BRISKLY...

CAPTAIN! COME, CAPTAIN... IT'S ME, TOMMY...I-I'M CALLING YOU FOR THE LAST TIME...

FIRST, THE OLD SEA CHANTY CAME ROLLING; THEN A LOUD SPLASHING SOUND...

HO IT'S YOUNG TOMMY!
MAKE IT A WORTHY ONE, BOY!

I THINK THIS TIME IT IS, CAPTAIN SIR! I ONLY ASK FOR MY FATHER TO BE A REAL DADDY, THAT'S ALL.

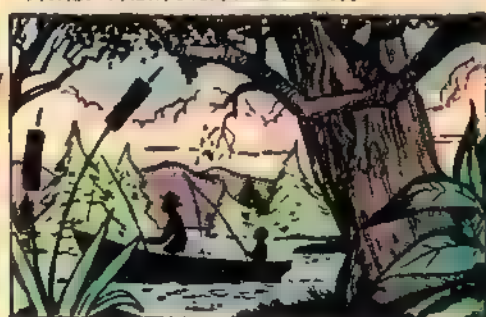
NOW YOU JUST REST, SONNY ME LAD, WHILE I CONSULT WITH ME MATEY, OSWALD!

TOMMY'S EYES CLOUDED SWIFTLY, THE OLD CAPTAIN AND THE MONSTER OF THE SEA WERE FADING...



HO HO, MY LADDIES, WE'RE AHEADIN' FOR THE OPEN SEA;
HEAVE HO, ME BUCKOS. THIS IS THE LIFE FOR ME!

A WEEK LATER, A TINY ROWBOAT BOBBED ABOUT ON THE BAY, AS TWO FIGURES FISHED FROM OVER THE SIDE...

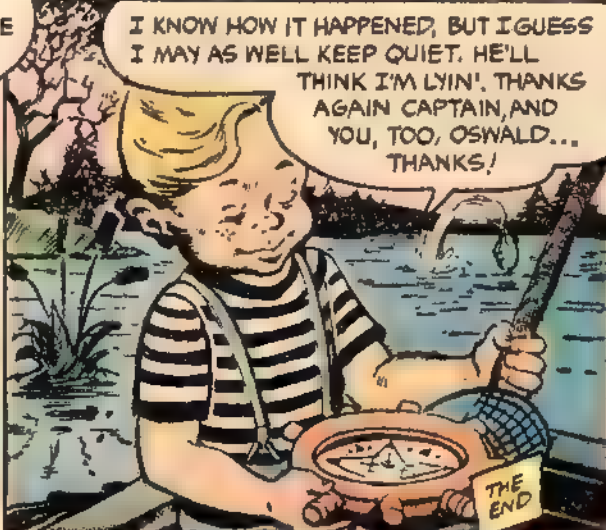


AND AS THE MAN TURNED BACK TO HIS FISHING, THE BOY WAS BEAMING DOWN AT A BRASSY OBJECT...

I DUNNO WHAT'S HAPPENED TO ME, TOMMY, BUT I LIKE IT! FISHIN' HERE WITH YOU AND THINKIN' ABOUT GETTIN' ME A JOB! WONDER WHAT HAPPENED?

WHAT DOES IT MATTER, DAD--WE'RE HAVIN' FUN, AIN'T WE?

I KNOW HOW IT HAPPENED, BUT I GUESS I MAY AS WELL KEEP QUIET. HE'LL THINK I'M LYIN'. THANKS AGAIN CAPTAIN, AND YOU, TOO, OSWALD... THANKS!



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